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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING BEFORE
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An Oral Hearing is hereby requested before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in the appeal of the above-identified application.

The fee for this Request for Oral Hearing is \$300.00 (37 CFR 41.20(b)(3)).

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